

SITE INFORMATION

Revised: 5/4/98

Current Site Name: Onsala
Other Site Name: Onsala
Location: Onsala, Sweden
Site Number: 120
Geographic Region: Europe
Tectonic Plate: Eurasian

General Site Description: The station is located at the Onsala Space Observatory in Onsala, Sweden. At typical VLBI sites, both x and s bands are received by the same antenna. However, at Onsala, one antenna is used for each frequency: the 26.5 meter antenna receives s-band and the 20 meter antenna receives x-band signals. All of the results are referred back to the reference point of the 20-meter antenna.

Geological Province: Archaean mountain rocks, southwest fennoscandia, 1200-1500 million years.

Local Geology: Solid granite and gneiss.

Site Topo Map: Unknown

CONTACT INFORMATION

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MONUMENT INFORMATION

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Current Site Name: Onsala
Location: Onsala, Sweden
Site Number: 120
Number of Observing Monuments: 2
Surveyed into National Network? Yes

Monument Number: 7212
Type of Monument: Intersection of axes of the antenna
Monument Inscription: None
Systems using Monument: 25.6 Meter VLBI Antenna

Latitude: N 57° 23' 35.04927"
Longitude: E 11° 55' 03.96958"
Elevation: 24.380 meters
Height above Ellipsoid: 58.395 meters
Geodetic Coordinate Source/Date: ELIASSON / 01-FEB-86
Geodetic Coordinate Datum/Ellipsoid: IERS ITRF94 (1993)
Elevation Datum: Unknown
Source of Monument Geodetic Survey Ties:
Comments: This antenna receives only s-band signals. All data is transferred to the 20 meter antenna reference point.

Differential Coordinates

Monument Number	Monument Inscription	X	Y	Z
7213	NONE (13-1)	-360.106	451.487	166.752
—	1975 Doppler Ref Point (1001)	-60.506	65.157	11.443
—	Doppler Ref Point No. 3	-307.516	411.023	122.831
—	National Land Survey Triangulation	-202.197	5.746	138.871

Differential Coordinates

Monument Number	Monument Inscription	North	East	Up
7213	NONE (13-1)			
—	1975 Doppler Ref Point (1001)	44.701	76.249	-15.011

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Monument Number: 7213
Type of Monument: Intersection of axes of the antenna
Monument Inscription: None
Systems using Monument: 20 Meter VLBI Antenna

Latitude: N 57° 23' 45.00853"
Longitude: E 11° 55' 34.87185"
Elevation: 22.660 meters
Height above Ellipsoid: 59.266 meters
Geodetic Coordinate Source/Date: ELIASSON / 01-FEB-86
Geodetic Coordinate Datum/Ellipsoid: IERS ITRF94 (1993)
Elevation Datum:
Source of Monument Geodetic Survey Ties:
Comments: This antenna receives x-band signals only. All baseline results refer to this antenna.

Differential Coordinates

Monument Number	Monument Inscription	X	Y	Z
7212	NONE (1000-1)	360.106	-451.487	-166.752
—	1975 Doppler Ref Point (1001)	299.601	-386.330	-155.309
—	Doppler Ref Point No. 3	52.590	-40.464	-43.921
—	National Land Survey Triangulation	157.909	-445.741	-27.881
—	Point #301 Survey Mark (GPS)	52.631	-40.464	-43.865

Monument Number	Monument Inscription	North	East	Up
—	1978 Doppler Ref Point (3)	-59.965	-50.462	-13.781

SITE SKETCH

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OCCUPATION INFORMATION

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SLR Occupations

Monument Number	Occupying System	Occupation Designator	Starting Date	Ending Date
No Previous Occupations				

VLBI Occupations

Monument Number	Occupying System	Occupation Designator	Starting Date	Ending Date
7211 7213	MV-2 ONSALA60	72115201 72137701	28-Apr-92 24-Sep-77	01-May-92 _____

GPS Occupations

Monument Name	Starting Date	Ending Date	Network
ONSA	01-Jul-91	-----	IGS

Footpring Surveys

Survey	Starting Date	Source
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No footprint surveys were completed. See the station description notes for geodetic ties to other local geodetic stations.